

# THE EMPRESS EXPRESS

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"Breathes there a man with soul so dead, who never to himself hath said---"EMPRESS"

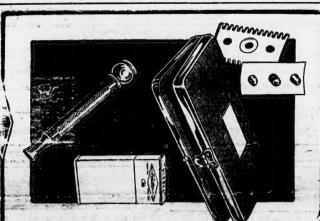
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### Hotel Question Gets Interesting

Application of Geo. H. Lloyd  
For Liquor Licence To Be  
Considered on Feb. 7

Another phase in regard to  
the hotel question here was  
reached this week when the  
notice of Geo. H. Lloyd for a  
liquor licence in Empress was  
hung up in the post office.

The notice is of the usual  
kind and states that the applica-  
tion will be heard on Saturday,  
February 7, in Calgary, before  
the Licence Ordinance. The  
lot specified in the notice are  
14 and 15 in Block 11.

The services following on the  
resolution moved by the Em-  
press Board of Trade to oppose  
the application of the Empress  
Hotel Company here for a li-  
cence and the opposition to the  
application of Mr. Wm. Englehardt

certainly helps to make  
the matter of a licence being  
granted here to any special  
person or company a little more  
complex. The decision of the  
licensing commissioners should

certainly be most interesting to  
citizens of Empress.

### Incorporation May Be Delayed

A letter has been received  
this week by the President of  
the Board of Trade from Dr.  
Wm. Robertson, regarding the  
incorporation to be incorpo-  
rated in the Village of Empress.  
The doctor states we must  
understand, that unless the whole of  
section 13 is incorporated as a  
village that he intends objecting  
to the incorporation. An  
objection at the present time  
will undoubtedly delay the in-  
corporation.

### CABRI WELL DIGGERS GO DEEP

The C.P.R. well diggers have  
just received additional equipment  
that will enable them to go down to 2000 feet if necessary.—Clarion, Cabri.

### School Starts Once More

Following a period of two or  
three weeks idleness the school  
was started again on Monday last.  
Miss A. Robinson, is the new teacher, engaged, and it is  
to be hoped that the school  
will now go along uninterrupted  
until this important business  
can be turned over into  
hands vested with full powers  
and resources.

### Church Announcements

St. Mary's Anglican Church,  
Empress. Service will be held  
in Mr. Storey's Furniture Store,  
on Sunday next, January 18, at  
11 a.m.

### Strike Gas Near Pancross

Gas Reported To Have Been  
Struck At A Depth of  
Eighty Feet

This week we received a com-  
munication from one of our  
respondents that gas had  
been struck in the vicinity of  
Pancross at a depth of eighty  
feet.

The correspondent who was  
present at the time of the strike  
states that the flow, taking a  
comparison of size of holes, is  
equal to that when they quit  
drilling at Dunmore, Alta.

We think that this gas being  
so near the surface must be  
only surface gas and would like  
to hear an expert opinion  
before commenting further on  
the subject.

### Skating on Hamilton's Lake Affords Merry Sport

Owing to the good nature and  
love of a good social time of  
our friends Messrs. Hamilton and  
Lacy, the citizens have been  
enabled this week to enjoy a  
merry time at skating.

These two gentlemen, desiring  
the hard work attached to  
the job, set to work and  
scrapping and piling up the snow  
made a winding road around  
the lake on Mr. Hamilton's land  
making some very good skating  
available for those who  
enjoy the sport.

A very large party of town-  
people turned out on Tuesday  
evening spending a most en-  
joyable time, a very pleasant  
evening being wound up by  
some very exciting racing on  
the homeward road.

Last night another big turn-  
out had been arranged for  
at which steaming cocoa and  
hot wafers were to be served and  
brush had been gathered  
together for the making of a  
huge bonfire.

### Expenditure for West on Canadian Pacific Arranged

Montreal, Jan. 8.—Discussions  
involving expenditure in the  
west by the Canadian Pacific  
Railway, have been carried on  
in Montreal during the past  
few days between Sir Thomas  
Shaughnessy and George Bury,

with the result that appropriations  
have been passed. A statement issued by the C.P.R.  
says:

"The position this year is  
somewhat different from that  
of former years. 1913 was a  
year when large and comprehen-  
sive schemes for extensions,  
betterments and double tracking  
the company's system were  
pushed. These schemes cannot  
be completed in a day or two,  
and must be carried to a certain  
point before further extensions  
are undertaken, so that the ex-  
penditures estimated for the

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western appropriations of 1914  
are almost entirely confined for  
the present to the completion of  
track laying, etc., on grades al-  
ready built, on branch lines, ex-  
tensions and double tracking,  
the latter of which will eventu-  
ally connect Winnipeg with  
Vancouver, and the building  
of Roger's Pass tunnel, which  
will be finished with vigor.

Ready for Hail

"So far as grading is con-  
cerned no less than 600 miles  
are now ready for the rails, and  
there is extensive terminal work  
at Winnipeg, Calgary and Van-  
couver, the completion of which  
has been provided for."

"The consideration of the ex-  
penditures on any new railway  
construction or other works  
will come up again later in the  
year, when further data has  
been secured, and there will  
then be another conference  
with the president."

Drawn by the announcement  
of the profit-sharing plan of

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FRIDAY, JAN. 16, 1914

## SOCIAL PLAINS

On account of the blizzard in this district on Friday last, the dance held at the school house did not prove as successful as previous ones. Those who attended report a most enjoyable time.

Grippe is very prevalent here Among those who are suffering from this sickness are Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Berry, Joseph Cyr, N. Lane. We are glad to report that all are doing well.

We are sorry to hear that Mohr Bros. had the misfortune to lose a horse that cost them \$200. Losses of this kind are very hard upon the homestead.

Mr. Howard Robinson shot a wolf in the middle of last week. Good for Howard.

Mrs. Albert Kreller and infant daughter (at this writing) have about recovered from their cold contracted at the last gathering which was held in the school house.

If three inches of snow makes us smile, what would a foot of snow make us do?

Mr. W. Hampton, returned from a business trip to Govan, accompanied by his brother who has come to stay here.

A box social is to be held at the school house on January 24. The programme will consist of readings, music and recitations Everybody welcome. Ladies bring baskets.

## CASTLE COOMBE

A concert was held at the post office on the evening of January 8th. There were about sixty present all of whom appeared to enjoy themselves. Mr. D. McKenzie was in the chair and called off the following programme:

Chorus: "O Canada!" Chairman's speech. Quartette: Whippoorwill song. Miss Chapman and Miss C. Rowles, Mr. Wm. Rowles and Mr. J. Chapman.

"The Old Oakened Bucket," Mr. Wm. Lunder. Reading: "The Fall Creek view of the Earthquakes." Miss E. Rowles.

Song: "The Cork Log." Mr. A. Chapman. Quartette: Pre-Plundo Bossi, Miss Chapman.

Miss C. Rowles, Messrs. J. Chapman and Lunder. Reading: Mr. Ellis "The Drummer" (Encore). Song: "Three Fisher's."

Wm. Rowles. Song: "Time's Roses." Mr. Cole. Reading: "Incheape Rock." Miss Norris.

Quartette: "Sweet and Low," Miss Chapman. Miss C. Rowles.

Messrs. J. and A. Chapman.

Song: "The Farmer's Boy." Mr. Seemes. Song: "Silver Threads among the Gold." Mr. Lunder.

Reading: "My Friends." Wm. Rowles. Address: Rev. C. C. Washington. Trio: "A Little Farm." Messrs. Rowles and Chapman. Song: "Miss C. Rowles." Song: "Two Eyes of Grey."

Mr. Cole. Reading: "The Clown's Romance." Mrs. S. Smith. Song: "Uncle Tom Cobleigh." Mr. Seemes. Reading:

"The Latest Edition." Mr. C. Cole. Song: "Gull We Recall the Past." Mrs. Randal. "God Save the King." Light refreshments were served at the close.

A debate is to be held on Thursday evening, January 22, between the north and south. Subject, "Resolved that the time has come for Canada to

abolish the Protective Tariff." Castle Coombe is to uphold the affirmative against those of the north.

Mr. Hamilton Fagan has obtained homestead entry for the N.E. 1/4 of sec. 18, t. 23, r. 28 and his son Marshall for the adjoining 1/4 of sec. 19.

Mr. P. DeMarsh is boring for water.

Mr. L. Crow has been disking for Mr. N. Luke Surely a record for January. Of course the usual croaker is on hand to tell us that we will pay up for this. Why not enjoy the present and not have to make the confession that we have borne a lot of trouble that never happened.

## Electricity and Peatly Raising

Some very interesting experiments have been carried on by Mr. W. H. Cook, of Orpington, England, where nearly 200 yds. of four houses, containing 6,000 birds, have been artificially lighted during the dark mornings and early nights since Christmas last. Mr. Cook states that his total increased output in eggs during the dark months by this system has been between 30 and forty per cent. His fowl houses are lighted by 300 lamps divided into 32 10 and 8 candle power sizes. These are switched on at six o'clock in the even. At 9.30 the 10 candle power lamps are substituted for a quarter of an hour before the hens are left in darkness.

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Mr. Cook explains that it is necessary to give a rough imitate of the waning sunlight, otherwise the hens would go to sleep on the ground, consequently becoming a prey to parasites. In the case of young arti-

fically incubated chickens, the electric light is employed to make them feed longer, and this Mr. Cook has found accelerates their growth during the winter months by almost one third.

**Like the Preacher Said:** "It will be our own fault if we have not a prosperous new year," therefore take my hint and read these true words:

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sugar will be lower in the near future than it has been for many years. During the past month the cost of sugar has fallen twice and to-day 100 pound bags of sugar are quoted at \$4.20 a price, with two exceptions, lower than any attained in the last fourteen years.

### **The Empress Gun Club**

#### **RULES**

I. Membership fees for this Club shall be not less than \$1.00 (one dollar per year) and an additional \$25 (twenty-five dollars) for each gun to be maintained at any time by the consent of the majority of members.

II. Members shall be allowed to shoot at trap while in areas for dues.

No member shall have his gun loaded while in areas for dues except while on the firing line. Shells in magazine or pump automatic guns shall be considered as loaded.

IV. Failure to comply with Rule III, shall result in a fine of \$5.00. Five Dollars for First Offense, and expulsion from club for second offense, and no member shall be allowed to shoot until such fine is paid.

V. It shall be duty of each member to report any gun found with loaded gun on the grounds except on firing line.

There are to be three official scores appointed to see that rules are carried out or go on Club Records unless certified by the members.

VII. Gamblering of any kind is strictly prohibited while in the grounds.

Members present signed the declaration of office.

Nash—That Councillor Leach act as chairman. Carried.

Nash—That Councillor Leach be appointed Deputy Reeve for three months, ending Mar. 31. Carried.

Hamilton—That the Reeve

and Secy-Treas. be authorized to borrow \$4,000 from the Union Bank of Canada for three months or longer and that they

are hereby authorized to sign note for the said amount. Carried.

Leach—That the following accounts be paid: E. J. Little, rent

of house, \$7.

Paul—That Coun. Leach be appointed to secure the necessities for the keep of the family of Joshua Thomas, who are reported to be in destitute circumstances, owing to Mr. Thomas having been rendered unable to work by an accident and who is at present in Saskatoon hospital. Carried.

Hamilton—That S. E. Spicer be appointed auditor for 1914 at a salary of \$10 per audit. Carried.

Nash—That Roy S. Bond be appointed secy-treas. and assessor for the year 1914 at a salary of \$600 per annum. Carried.

Nash—That E. J. Little be appointed weed inspector for 1914 at a salary of \$600. Carried.

Hamilton—That the Council of the R. Mun. of Mantario enacts as follows: That the following amendment to By-Law No. 2, passed on Sept. 30, 1912, be rescinded, viz.—

"That it shall not be lawful for any animal, excepting dogs only, to run at large at any time within the year, within the limits of the portion of township twenty-three north of the river along township twenty-four and twenty-five, and ranges twenty-seven, twenty-eight and twenty-nine."

and that the original By-Law No. 2 be effective over the whole municipality. Car. unanimously.

Hamilton—That this council enacts as follows:—That a lawful fence for the protection of stacks shall require to be posts not less than 4in. in diameter, 10ft. apart, 6 barb wires 8in. apart, and the height of top wire to be 4ft. 6in., and fence to be 30ft. from stacks. Carried.

Leach—That minutes of this meeting be sent to the Express Express. Carried.

Nash—That this council adjourn to meet the 2nd Monday in Feb. at Earl Little's, 30-38-27. Carried.

### **THE EMPRESS**

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**LOCAL AND GENERAL**

Mr. McBride of Winipeg is a visitor to town this week.

Mr. O. Lange made a trip to Alsask last week.

If your Horse is sick see Brown the druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard left for Medicine Hat last week.

Mr. F. A. Ogletree made a trip to the Hat on Monday of this week.

We understand that a new garage, first-class in every way is shortly to be erected in town.

Make your hens lay! Buy that poultry food at Brown's drug store.

Mr. A. A. May made a trip to Alsask on Thursday of last week.

The liquor license inspector paid a visit to the city this week but did not favor us with his presence.

The ladies' aid of the union church held an organization meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peters on Wednesday.

Violins, accordions, mouth organs, etc. at Brown's Drug store.

Work on the new sheds and offices of the Empress Lumber Yard is now progressing very rapidly.

Mr. Crawford, returned to the city last week, after spending the Christmas Holidays at Indian Head and Regina.

Mr. Oldershaw left town last week for Saskatoon, but expects to return to town in the course of a week or so.

Messrs. Boley and Joe Matz spent their Xmas Holidays at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. John Matz near Alsask.

Mr. J. Dennis has taken a position with Mr. McCready chief engineer on the C.P.R. bridge across the Saskatchewan river.

Mr. J. M. Schiltz has had the front of his office painted, and with the addition of large plate glass window and gold lettering the office now presents an al appearance.

The Booster's Club are holding their first dance to-night in Messrs. Barnett and Butchard's Hall. The Club also purpose holding a Masquerade Ball in the month of February, on Wednesday the 18th. Admission will be by ticket only.

The Empress Trading Co (Kirner and Lamb) are now getting their new store and stock inside in shape for the buying public. The new store presents quite a nice and pleasing appearance. The store was opened up for business last week. The first adyt of the company appears in this week's issue.

The Morehart - Broderick Lumber buildings are now completed. These buildings are good proof of this company's faith in the future of the baby city. They have built with view that additions could easily be made if needed. Buildings of this description are a good advertisement to both the company and the town and are sure bad medicine for any would-be knockers.

Dr. Robertson wishes to call attention that he will lease all lots unsold in his properties, the even numbered blocks of Empress to business men, or parties wishing to build residences under the above mentioned terms, one dollar per lot per year, and all taxes paid by lessee and one dollar added each succeeding year. Leases 5, 10 or 15 years. The doctor, who is taking a holiday, intends to permanently return to Empress early in the spring for the purpose of leasing these valuable lots.

Contractors, or persons intending to build, can secure maps of this part of section 13 by applying at Empress post office to Mr. Peters. Adv't. 21

Shortly after marriage a man realises that he talked too much during his courtship.

A meeting of the committee of the Empress Choral and Dramatic society is due to take place on Saturday evening at 8 p.m. at the Bachelors Abode (next door to the Quebec Room) Room 3.

A quiet wedding took place in the manse, Alsask, at 2:30 p.m. Jan. 7th, when Miss Lola C. Morely, of Benton, Alta., was united in marriage to Mr. D. H. Boyd, editor and proprietor of the Fillmore Press.

Missionary Ryherd, January 9th, held a meeting at Mrs. Fenton's near Panorama. A very enjoyable time was spent. He is expected there again on January 25, at 7 o'clock and 8 miles south at Mr. Baptiste's at 1:30 p.m., after which they are hoping to start a new Sunday School.

**Gasoline Engine Blew to Pieces**

There was a serious accident on a farm four miles south of Indian Head on Tuesday, Feb. 6th. George Crawford was using his engine for the purpose of chopping feed and it seemed to be running alright for a time but began to backfire. Mr. Crawford was standing in front of the engine when the explosion took place which completely wrecked the entire engine, blowing it to pieces. He

was found unconscious with portions of the cylinder lying on his body. On being taken to the house he rapidly recovered consciousness and was able to speak to Dr. Ross and

Dr. Scott who had been hastily summoned from town. The doctors dressed the wounds and say that he has every chance of complete recovery.—News Woley.

# January Sale

## Xmas Goods

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Gentlemen's Ivory Brush Set, reg. \$18.50	15.50
Manicure Set, sterling, reg. \$14	10.00
" " sterling, reg. \$8	6.00
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